



**PRESIDENTS MESSAGE
JULY 2021**

Dear All,

Yet again we find ourselves in a lockdown due to COVID to which we all must be adaptable and remain mindful how fortunate we have been living where we are and that we shall continue to get through the COVID pandemic with optimism, resilience and whatever is necessary to ensure we remain healthy and assist each other in life and triathlon.

It's vital that we stay connected, which we have been through the virtual races, exercise of the day, Strava segments and facebook.

Although we have been forced to suspend our group training, we encourage you to keep active and maintain your training whilst remaining exemplary Covid order compliant.

We are so fortunate that we can use the entire Northern Beaches LGA and that are hundreds on runs, rides and swims that we can continue to use.

Make sure that you wear your Warringah kit whilst keeping to no more than two-person rule and keep safe whilst training. When you see another WTC jersey out there give them a wave and "Go Warringah"!! We are all in this together.

Membership Renewals

Given that we have been so focused on being a community club over the last 18 months, it is important that we maintain our connection with all members, so with the Club membership renewals required from July I ask that you ensure you have renewed promptly.

We want to keep that community connection; ensure you have the insurance provided by membership and are all set for the season that will be!

We have incentivised renewal with a WTC Hoodie only for those members as at 31st July so get in quick, if you have not already!

If you have any feedback on membership or questions please contact us.

WTC Club Races

Again, the race sub-committee has done a fantastic job and planned a calendar full of club races each month for the upcoming season. We are committed to having these races to ensure a platform for all athletes of all abilities and encourage participation in triathlon.

Unfortunately, and apologies that our July TT had to be cancelled due to COVID, although once it is safe to do so we will back with safe and professionally managed races, I'd love to see you there racing and volunteering!

Check the website for latest updates

<https://www.warringahtriathlonclub.com/race.html>

Other races

We have also planned to support WTC members at some of the regular races over the next season these races. When we are permitted, we will be looking to have the club tent and a race champion to assist at the following races:-

**Port Mac 70.3 and Ironman
Australia – 1st May 2022**



The race that keeps on giving! With the postponements and rescheduling it's been hard for many members, but when this race is on next year, we'll be there with a large group of competitors and a enthusiastic support crew for the weekend.

**NSW Club Championships Fortser
- 21st May 2022**



With the back-to-back Club Champs wins, I am incredibly proud of our members achievements and the team spirit we displayed at both events. Next year we will be looking for the Tri-peat, so lock in the date!!! We will be looking to take another big WTC team and make the weekend a special event!

**Cairns 70.3 & Ironman (Asia Pacific
Champs) 12 June 2022**



Following on from the 50 Warringah athletes that attended Cairns this year, we will be back next year. A great venue which provides a winter break with a bit of warmth!

Sydney Triathlon Premier League

We plan to target being competitive in the Interclub Series next season, with the schedule just released.

We will set up the events in the club calendar and again look to provide support at each of these races.

The schedule includes our favourites Nepean and Big Huski, but here's a chance to try a new race or two as well!

If you can help being a Race Champion, which includes knowing the venue, the course and the schedule to assist other members please let me know.

DATE	EVENT	DISTANCE (PRP)
28TH AUGUST	Hills Duathlon	Sprint
31TH SEPTEMBER	Goulburn Duathlon	Standard
25TH OCTOBER	Nepean Triathlon	Standard
7TH NOVEMBER	Maitland Triathlon	Standard
5TH FEBRUARY	Richie Walker Aquathlon	Aquathlon
TBA FEBRUARY	Sparke Helmore Newcastle City Tri	Sprint
25-27TH FEBRUARY	Big Husky	Long Course
10TH APRIL	Redline Games	Long Course
24TH APRIL	Wollongong Tri	Sprint
21ST MAY	CLUB CHAMPS	Club

Keep safe and I look forward to seeing you out there!

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